

Amendments to the Specification

Please amend paragraph [0057] as follows:

[0057] Figure 8 illustrates an alternative arrangement to that of Figure 7, in which the shutter casing 14 is spaced from the wall 17 by a distance corresponding to the thickness of the profile 38'. In the illustrated embodiment, the profile 38', itself serves as the spacer, extending upwards beyond the upper edge of the other profile 38 and the slot 39. This is advantageously achieved by forming the guides 3, 4 as two-piece extrusions as shown in Figure 9. Figure 9, which represents a cross-section taken along line ~~C-C~~ 9-9 in Figure 8 shows how the first profile 38 together with slot 39 are formed as a first element, while the second profile 38' is separately formed as a second element.

Please amend paragraph [0060] as shown:

[0060] In the embodiment depicted in Figure 14, rigid panel ~~[[Z]]~~ 73 is depicted in a building aperture wherein filaments 22 and 22' are threaded through holes in the panel in a cross-wise configuration.